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FOR THE SECRETARY FROM THE AMBASSADOR

E.O. 11652: GDS
TAGS: PFOR, US, CU
SUBJ: U.S. DISCUSSIONS WITH CUBA

REF: STATE 065366

1. SHORTLY BEFORE NOON TODAY (MARCH 24), I CALLED ON FONMIN DE LA PUENTE TO CONVEY TO HIM YOUR MESSAGE CONCERNING U.S. DISCUSSIONS WITH CUBA. HE SHOWED KEEN INTEREST IN AND OBVIOUS APPROVAL OF OUR APPROACH TO CUBA AND SAID HE WOULD PROMPTLY PASS THE WORD ALONG TO PRESIDENT MORALES-BERMUDEZ.

2. DE LA PUENTE WAS VERY APPRECIATIVE OF YOUR THOUGHTFULNESS IN INFORMING HIM IN TIMELY FASHION OF THIS DEVELOPMENT OF CONSIDERABLE HEMISPHERIC INTEREST. HE CORRECTLY SURMISED THE THE SAME MESSAGE WAS BEING PASSED TO OTHER HEMISPHERIC FOREIGN MINISTERS, BUT HE RECEIVED IT IN THE CONTEXT OF THE PERSONAL RELATIONSHIP HE FEELS HE HAS DEVELOPED WITH YOU AS A RESULT OF HIS VISIT TO WASHINGTON.

3. IN THIS CONTEXT HE ASKED ME TO TELL YOU THAT HE WOULD RECIPROCATATE APPROPRIATELY. SPECIFICALLY, HE PROMISED
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TO INFORM YOU ALSO IN A TIMELY FASION OF ANY IMPORTANT HEMISPHERIC DEMARCHE THE PERU MIGHT MAKE IN THE FUTURE. HE MENTIONED PERU'S RELATIONS WITH CHILE AS AN AREA OF POSSIBLE SPECIAL INTEREST TO US.

4. I THANKED DE LA PUENTE FOR HIS OFFER AND SAID I WOULD TRANSMIT IT PROMPTLY TO YOU.

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